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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated January 13, 2003, be extended for three months to and including July 13, 2003.

Enclosed is a check for \$465 for the required fee. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08191-008003.

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